

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 58, after [0155], kindly rewrite the first paragraph on page 58 as follows:

In the present invention, when preparing the skin treatment composition, the film forming polymer
is preferably blended in as a water dispersion, i.e. dispersed in water, which is an essential
ingredient of the present invention. Said water dispersion, when applied on the skin and dried,
forms a polymer film on the skin.

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